Husband's Name: ŠIMON HASZAY

Bapt: Married: Died:

Wife's Name: MÁRIA VOJTAS

Bapt: Died:

Issue: Baptized: Where:

 Mária Haszay Katarina Haszay 	5 December 1814 29 July 1816	Spisská Stará Ves, Kežmarok, Slovakia Spisská Stará Ves, Kežmarok, Slovakia
3) JÁN HASZAY	25 April 1819	Spisská Stará Ves, Kežmarok, Slovakia
4) Josef Haszay	2 February 1823	Spisská Stará Ves, Kežmarok, Slovakia
5) Anna Haszay	15 August 1831	Spisská Stará Ves, Kežmarok, Slovakia

The family lived in Majere, a hamlet of about a hundred residents on the south bank of the Dunajec River that serves to separate the Slovak Republic from Poland. Only about a mile north of Spisská Stará Ves it has never warranted a village church. In most official records it is considered more a suburb or section of Spisská Stará Ves than a village in its own right.

The hamlet has been named Majere since 1948; between 1927 and 1948 it was Alter-Meierei; it was Vyšné Šváby between 1913 and 1927; it was Ŏ Majer between 1863 and 1913; Vyšné Šváby again between 1798 and 1863; Ŏ Majer again between 1786 and 1798 and before that it was only a manor house named Starý Majer.

The family had their children christened at the nearest church in Spisská Stará Ves. ¹ The church registers of Spisská Stará Ves do not list a marriage for ŠIMON and MÁRIA. Perhaps they were married elsewhere. ŠIMON is found as SIMEON HASSAI in the 1828 census at No. 6 in Ŏ Majer. The household had 2 18-60 year olds (an exact match as none of their children had reached 18 yet), 3 cows and 2 sheep.²

Maiere

Issue:

1) MÁRIA HASZAY: She was baptized in Spisská Stará Ves by Jozef Michely. Godparents were František Bobek and Anna Tripská. In the 1869 census of Ŏ Majer two people with the name Mária Hassai are living at No. 9 and either one could be the correct Mária. The first is the wife of Ján Scorupa who was born in 1817 and the second is an unmarried Mária Hassai who was born in 1815 and seems to have helped with the livestock. Lacking additional information, it is impossible to establish if either one was the daughter of Šimon and Mária. On 20 December 1844 Ferencz, son of Maria Haszay and János Zagyora, was baptized in town; this is another possibility.

- 2) KATARINA HASZAY: She was baptized in Spisská Stará Ves by JOZEF MICHELY Godparents were František Bobek and Anna Tribská.
- 3) JÁN HASZAY: He was baptized in Spisská Stará Ves by JOZEF MICHELY. Godparents were FRANTIŠEK TRIBSKY and JOZEFINA BOBEKOVA. He married KATARINA ZADYORA (born 1821) on 9 February 1843 in Spisská Stará Ves by PAVOL BASZISTA in a double ceremony with his brother JOSEF. Witnesses were ANTON KOHUT and JÁN KOLLER. They were living at No.11 in Ŏ Majer in 1862 but are no longer found there in 1869. 9 children were baptized:³
 - a) JOSEF HASZAY: baptized 13 August 1844; died before August 1855.
 - b) MARIA HASZAY: baptized 10 July 1846; died before 1857.
 - c) ANNA HASZAY: baptized 25 July 1849.
 - d) SOPHIA HASZAY: baptized 12 April 1852; died before June 1864.
 - e) JOSEF HASZAY: baptized 20 August 1855.
 - f) MARIA HASZAY: baptized 2 February 1857.
 - g) CATHARINA HASZAY: baptized 31 May 1859.
 - h) Ján Haszay: born 11 January 1862 to Ján Haszay and Katarina Zadyora of Majere. He was baptized on 13 January 1862 by Pavol Basziszta, with Godparents being Ján Grutka and Katarina Derma. He died on 4 April 1867.
 - i) SOPHIA HASZAY: baptized 7 June 1864.
- 4) **JOSEF HASZAY**: He was baptized in Spisská Stará Ves. Godparents were FRANTIŠEK BOBEK and MÁRIA TRIBSKA. He married MÁRIA ZADYORA (baptized 16 March 1819) on 9 February 1843 in Spisská Stará Ves in the above mentioned double ceremony. Their story continues in a separate file.
- 5) ANNA HASZAY: She was baptized in Spisská Stará Ves.

¹ Slovakia Church and Synagogue Records, 1592-1935, Kežmarok district, accessed 2 January 2022 on familysearch.org.

² 1828 Census, Szepes, Ŏ Majer p. 524

³ Slovakia Church and Synagogue Records, 1592-1935, Kežmarok district, accessed 2 January 2022 on familysearch.org.